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News from the Local Councils

The basement of a McKeesport school building has been turned into an emergency hospital to handle possible accident casualties at a local factory making shells and bombs . . . The Council of Defense, sponsoring the project, has 12 nurses, two doctors, and eight ambulances on call . . . A second hospital is planned to take care of the Irvin steel works.

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In order "not to be caught napping," the Reading-Berks Council of Defense has appointed H. Nelson Smith, retired engineer, to survey Reading's available bomb resistant structures and plan necessary reinforcing for air raid shelters . . . A program to inform the public what to do in air raids also is underway.

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OTHER EMERGENCY PLANS—New Holland staged a blackout, made realistic by three "attacking" planes overhead . . . Montgomery county, under chairman Guier S. Wright, has asked its local defense councils to survey all emergency facilities . . . Frank M. Roessing, Pittsburgh public works director, has gone to England on an inspection tour arranged by the U. S. Office of Civilian Defense.

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Recent visitors at State headquarters included Mayor John Conway, of Johnstown, who discussed civilian defense plans, and Colonel L. H. Watres, Scranton, who offered services of 42 DeMolay chapters . . . The latter will form courier units to aid local defense councils.

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COOPERATION—The Red Cross chapter of New Castle explained its emergency plans at a luncheon given for Dr. Fulton Jackson, Lawrence County Council of Defense chairman . . . The Wilkes-Barre chamber of commerce has donated office space for Colonel Thomas H. Atherton, head of the city's defense council . . . and in Wellsboro the Lion's Club named a special committee to assist the defense council.

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Pottsville will "parade its preparation" at a Defense Day celebration September 3 . . . Mayor Claude A. Lord reports several thousand persons active in the defense council there . . . Meanwhile,

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Chief Warden Begins Tour to Set Up Air Raid Warning Centers In Eastern Counties

Establishment of air raid alarm centers in 37 eastern counties of Pennsylvania will get underway next week when Ralph E. Flinn, newly-appointed Chief Air Raid Warden of the State Council of Defense, begins a systematic tour of counties from the Philadelphia area northward.

Serving without pay as "a patriotic duty," Mr. Flinn will contact the County Council of Defense in each county and arrange for appointment of a county chief air raid warden who will be responsible for warning industries, hospitals, firemen, policemen, and civilians in his area of approaching enemy air raids.

The appointment of Mr. Flinn, a Pittsburgh businessman, by Governor Arthur H. James, and the launching of the air raid alarm system, highlighted a number of new developments in the civilian defense program. The other developments included:

1. A visit to the State Council of Defense headquarters by T. Semmes Walmsley, Deputy U. S. Director of Civilian Defense under Mayor F. H. LaGuardia.

2. Organization of three more County Councils of Defense, raising the number of county units to 53.

3. Calling of a meeting of the State Council of Defense advisory committee on education to study a report on skilled labor supply prepared for the Council by President C. C. Williams of Lehigh University.

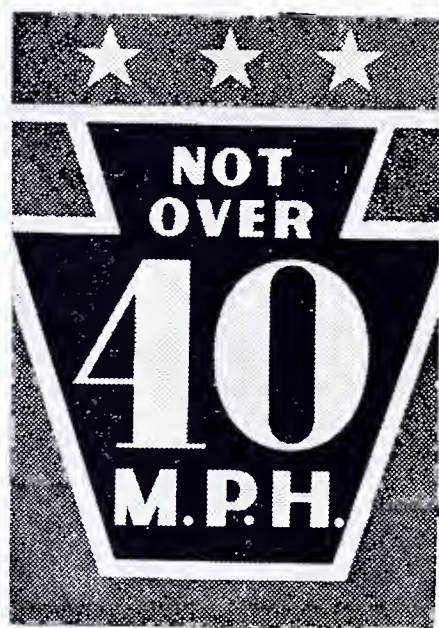
4. Registration of civilian defense volunteers in Philadelphia, Scranton, McKeesport, York, Bucks county, and other centers.

Under the air raid alarm setup, 34 alarm boxes will be furnished by the U. S. Army for installation at designated county-seats in the 37-county area. When warning lights are flashed at these boxes from a control board at Mitchell Field, L. I., the county chief warden will spread the alarm throughout his area by pre-arranged sirens, telephones and radio.

Mr. Flinn will advise the county chief wardens to consult local defense councils in surrounding towns on appointment of deputy wardens. After the U. S. Army flashes the warning light, the job of spreading the alarm rests solely with the civilian wardens and their aides. The Army itself gets the reports of approaching enemy planes from civilian "observers" who are now being trained in Pennsylvania and surrounding states.

The alarm system will be extended to western Pennsylvania after the eastern county organization is completed.

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Front view of Pennsylvania gas-conservation stickers sent out this week for distribution through County and Local Councils of Defense.

Meeting Called To Study Labor Supply

A meeting of the 32-man advisory committee on education of the State Council of Defense has been called for September 30 in Harrisburg to consider a report on the skilled labor supply for Pennsylvania's defense factories.

The report, prepared for the State Council by President C. C. Williams of Lehigh University, revealed a general oversupply of construction workers and an undersupply of production workers. The anthracite area was cited as having many workers who could be re-trained for defense jobs.

In studying the report, the advisory

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Alarm box centers in eastern Pennsylvania will be at: Philadelphia, West Chester, Norristown, Doylestown, Allentown, Easton, Scranton, Wilkes-Barre, Honesdale, Stroudsburg, Montrose, Towanda, Wellsboro, Harrisburg, Lancaster, Lebanon, York, Reading, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Hazleton, Bloomsburg, Sunbury, Williamsport, Lock Haven, Bellefonte, Clearfield, Altoona, Huntingdon, Lewistown, Bedford, Chambersburg, Carlisle, and Gettysburg.

The visit of Mr. Walmsley to the State Council of Defense resulted in closer coordination of activities between the State Council and the U. S. Office of Civilian Defense. Mr. Walmsley, a former mayor of New Orleans, met with Dr. A. C. Marts, executive director, and the field representatives of the State Council.

"The civilian defense program," he declared, "is going to branch into many fields, and you will all have a heavy load to carry. There will be duties soon for every civilian who wants to participate in civilian defense."

Praising Pennsylvania for its progress in organizing local defense councils, Mr. Walmsley said "no other state has progressed farther than Pennsylvania" in its civilian preparations for emergency.

HOLDS FREEDOM FORUMS

The idea back of the "Freedom Forums" being sponsored by the Union County Council of Defense is to provide "a community clearing house of public opinion on vital national issues, and a method of strengthening national unity."

The Forums, held monthly consist of two ten-minute keynote addresses by assigned speakers, followed by one hour of discussion from the floor. Topics are announced in advance and deal with such questions as American aid for Russia's fight against Hitler.

Cause of Gasoline Shortage Stressed

With Defense Councils throughout the state providing leadership in the 40-mile speed limit campaign, the State Council of Defense this week put emphasis on the need to inform Pennsylvanians of the real causes of the impending gasoline shortage.

"The basic reason is a very simple one," said Dr. A. C. Marts. "The Atlantic Seaboard states normally get 90 per cent of their crude oil by tankers which come from Gulf of Mexico ports. All 262 tankers previously used are needed to provide the Atlantic Seaboard with 90 per cent of its normal crude oil.

"Fifty-two of these tankers have recently been taken out of this service for the purpose of shuttling cargoes to British ships supplying gasoline to the Royal Air Force in England.

"There is no shortage of crude oil and no shortage of facilities for refining crude oil into gasoline. The sole reason for the shortage now about to be felt is the diversion of these 52 tankers to the English service."

Educating the public on these facts, said Dr. Marts, should be one of the most effective ways to obtain wide support of Governor James' plea for reduced speeds and also to promote a general one-third cut in gasoline consumption. New tankers and new oil lines cannot be completed before next spring, so the shortage will soon become acute, he added.

Packages of "Not Over 40 M.P.H." stickers were sent out by the State Council this week for distribution through local defense councils.

THREE COUNTIES SHIFTED

Three changes in the geographical districts assigned to field representatives of the State Council of Defense have been approved by the Council.

Tioga and Schuylkill counties, formerly assigned to District No. 4, under C. W. Bennett, have been shifted to District 5 and District 2 respectively. District 2, centering in Allentown, is contacted by Harry Hirsch, while District 5, taking in Potter, Cameron, Clinton, Lycoming, Centre, Union, Snyder, Northumberland, and Montour, in addition to Tioga, has not yet been assigned a field representative.

The other change affects Wayne county, which is transferred from District 2 to District 4.

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committee, which is headed by Superintendent of Public Instruction Francis B. Haas, will keep in mind the defense training programs now underway and possible ways in which they might be benefitted by Dr. Williams' findings.

Fair Rent Committees

The Fair Rent Section of the Office of Price Administration and Civilian Supply this week invited Pennsylvania's local Councils of Defense to form Fair Rent Committees where the need exists.

The State Council of Defense plans to issue a bulletin on this subject and has arranged with A. E. Casgrain, field representative of the Fair Rent Section, to put him in touch with defense councils desiring to form committees. Philadelphia, Allentown, and Chester already have taken this action.

Aluminum Total Is Over 1,000,000 Lbs.

Incomplete reports from 15 of the state's 16 aluminum concentration centers show slightly more than one million pounds of aluminum collected in the recent campaign throughout Pennsylvania.

Most of the centers have now shipped their collections to smelters designated by the U. S. Treasury Department, and any towns that still have aluminum on hand should send it immediately to a concentration center.

With only Pottsville missing from the tabulation, the totals reported for each center are: Philadelphia 360,000 pounds, Pittsburgh 250,000, Reading 21,300, Easton 61,125, Scranton 11,000, Harrisburg 111,447, Bradford 12,000, Williamsport 10,000, Wilkes-Barre 50,000, Lewistown 17,000, Altoona 6,000, Johnstown 17,926, New Castle 20,461, Erie 14,000, and DuBois 9,532.

In addition to designated centers, the cities of Norristown, Chester, Doylestown, and Downingtown shipped 69,640 pounds to the smelters, bringing the state-wide total to 1,041,431 pounds.

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Chester had a big ceremony in City Hall courtyard to install its defense council, headed by Paul J. Carey.

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FORTY-MILE LIMIT—Reading calls it "Forty for Defense" and has a "Ten Per Cent Club" . . . Beaver County Council, according to G. W. Roark, has printed posters headed "Do You Drive Fast? Help Conserve Gas" . . .

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This and That—The consumer committee of the Philadelphia defense council has protested a one-cent boost in the price of milk . . . The P. T. A. of Progress, a Harrisburg suburb, has defense speakers at all its meetings . . . C. Arthur Woolever, defense chairman at Montoursville, has a printed organization chart with telephone numbers of all members.



AT THE CONFERENCE TABLE—Pennsylvania's Council of Defense delegation shown at OPACS headquarters in Washington on August 8. Left to right: Seated—Mrs. Benjamin Ludlow, Bryn Mawr; Mrs. Russell P. Brewer, Chester county; Mrs. J. Stewart Williams, Wilkes-Barre; Mrs. John H. Williams, Wilkes-Barre; Mrs. Conway Zirkle, Delaware county; Miss Harriet Elliott, head of OPACS Consumer Division; Mrs. William J. Clothier, member, State Council of Defense; Mrs. Arthur L. Hoch, Mercersburg; Mrs. Jean D. Doverspike, director, State Council of

Defense speakers bureau; Mrs. E. A. Van Valkenburg, women's division representative, State Council of Defense; Dr. Pauline Beery Mack, Pennsylvania State College. Standing—Mrs. James P. Paul, York; H. G. Pyle and Prof. Duane Ramsey, Pennsylvania State College; Mrs. William H. Monroe, Philadelphia; Eugene R. Guinter, OPACS; Oliver Peterson, OPACS; Mrs. M. Chester Campbell, Ridley Park; Mrs. George A. Dempsey, Eddystone; Mrs. Omer Eshelman, Mercersburg; R. V. Wall, publicity director, State Council of Defense; Dr. Warren B. Mack, Pennsylvania State College.

Active Consumer Program Results From Conference

Suggestions for a dozen specific activities that can be undertaken by consumer committees of Pennsylvania's local Councils of Defense were brought back this month from a conference held in the Office of Price Administration and Civilian Supply at Washington.

The conference, described by Miss Harriet Elliott, head of the OPACS Consumer Division, as the first at which she had met representatives from an entire state, was between Miss Elliott's staff and a Pennsylvania delegation headed by Mrs. William J. Clothier, member of the State Council of Defense.

In the delegation were local Council of Defense members from Philadelphia, Pittsburgh, York, Wilkes-Barre, Mercersburg, and Chester and Delaware counties, and also four staff members of the Pennsylvania State College.

"One of our most important goals," said Miss Elliott, "is to maintain the best possible standard of living in this crisis, and at the same time to keep prices sane. Intelligent community action and sentiment, led by local defense councils, is vital to this objective."

As a result of Pennsylvania's initiative and also its advanced state of civilian defense organization, the OPACS proposes to cooperate in an aggressive consumer program here as a proving ground for the rest of the country. A special State Council of Defense bulletin on consumer interests is being prepared now with the help

of the OPACS to get this program started.

Local consumer committees needing advice in getting activities underway can contact Eugene R. Guinter, 1107 Baldwin St., Williamsport, who is regional representative in Pennsylvania for the OPACS Consumer Division. He will provide printed material and give advice on ways in which the public can cooperate with national defense in their selection, purchase, and use of civilian goods.

Among the 12 activities suggested for Pennsylvania consumer committees were: Classes and discussion groups led by dietitians, consumer information centers, organized protests against unwarranted price rises, local market news broadcasts, and cooperation in projects for canning surplus fruits and vegetables.

Homes Registration Handling Big Task

The homes registration offices opened by the Philadelphia and Pittsburgh Councils of Defense are performing a mighty task in helping to find living quarters for incoming defense workers.

In Philadelphia, the office is in charge of William Mudge, U.G.I. executive, and is located in the 30th Street Station. The Junior Chamber of Commerce has assisted by conduct-

Lancaster Defense Unit One Year Old

On June 18, when the setting up of local councils of defense was just getting into high gear throughout Pennsylvania, Lancaster county was already marking the first anniversary of its defense council.

This council, headed by J. Hale Steinman, Lancaster publisher, and started a year ago at the call of Mayor Dale E. Cary, has now been made the official county defense unit as provided in the State Council of Defense Act, which it in a sense anticipated.

As special projects, the Lancaster council has sponsored a Democracy Days program extending from Lincoln's Birthday to Washington's Birthday, and a Citizenship Day program to instruct new citizens just coming of age.

The council has been extremely active in promoting patriotic unity.

ing a door-to-door canvass to find vacant rooms and apartments.

The Pittsburgh office, in addition to serving incoming workers, is attempting to find new quarters for 9,000 persons whose homes are being razed to make way for steel mill expansions in Homestead and Duquesne.

Other homes registration offices have been opened in Greensburg, Clairton, Hatboro, Middletown, Bristol, Beaver, Monessen, and New Kensington. Local Defense Councils can obtain the help of a federal field representative in setting up these offices.

3 More Counties Organize; Local Chairmen Announced

County Councils of Defense were organized in three more counties of Pennsylvania early this month, and the remaining unorganized counties are taking steps to form units. The total of county councils is now 53.

Latest county councils organized, and their chairmen, are: Huntingdon, Chalender H. Leshar, of Huntingdon; Monroe, George T. Robinson, Stroudsburg; and Bedford, George Miller, of Bedford.

County chairmen not included in the list in the last DEFENSE COUNCIL NEWS were: Mifflin, T. C. Matthews, Lewistown; Pike, Dr. Chester B. Dissinger, Milford; Somerset, Fred P. Hare, Jr., of Somerset; and Potter, James S. Berger, Coudersport.

Local Chairmen

The State headquarters list shows the following municipal units and chairmen:

Adamstown—Dr. H. S. Ziemer; Akron—Edwin A. Hess; Abington Twp.—C. Louis Borie, 3rd; Aldan—Charles A. Simons; Alexandria—Dr. Harry Nagley; Aliquippa—Burgess George L. Kiefer; Allentown—General Frank D. Beary; Archibald—James Reap; Arnold—Burgess M. F. Horne; Ashland—Harry L. Natschke; Ashley—Walter Gryskewicz; Aspinwall—Lewis W. Hagamier; Athens—Allen J. Donlon; Avalon—E. B. Logan; Avondale—Raymond Rosazza. Avonmore—Thomas S. Couch; Bangor—J. Lawrence Davis; Barnesboro—David A. Westover; Beallsville—Burgess A. J. Hulbert; Bear Lake—Alexander Perkins; Beaver Falls—Elmer L. Lancaster; Bechtelsville—Dewey Miller; Belle Vernon—Henry S. Schmidt; Bellevue—William C. Means; Bellwood—R. A. Cherry; Ben Avon—Robert R. Miller; Benson—George Heisel; Berlin—Burgess E. K. Brubaker; Berwick—W. S. Johnson.

Bethany—William C. Hankinson; Bethel Twp.—J. Milton Husbands; Big Run—Robert Palmer; Birdsboro—Burgess John C. Wetzel; Birmingham—Harry C. Pyle; Blairsville—Roy J. Forsha; Blawnox—R. J. Dessy; Blooming Grove Twp.—John Eckweiler; Boswell—Isaac T. Kaufman; Bowmanstown—Burgess B. H. Serfass; Boyertown—Burgess Roy F. Schealer; Bradfordwoods—Richard Baxter; Brentwood—Eugene O'Neill; Broad Top—H. H. Ramsey; Brookville—Harry Coleman.

Brockway—Dale D. Schaffner; Bryn Athyn—Randolph W. Childs; Butler—John S. Campbell, Jr.; Calwyn—Robert M. Johnston; Cambridge Springs—Earl Hoyt; Camp Hill—Walter Barnard; Canton—Burgess Harry W. McNett; Carbondale—James A. Burke; Carlisle—Charles E. Wise; Carrolltown—M. J. Farabaugh; Centralia—James Buckley; Central City—Nicholas M. Bruno; Chambersburg—Robert C. Vanderau; Cherry Tree—Delmont Notley; Chester—Paul J. Carey; Christiana—Louis B. Bond; Clarion—Burgess R. R. Whitmen.

Clarks Summit—W. D. Oakley; Clearfield—General F. B. Kerr; Clintonville—C. L. Blair; Clymer—Seward Bence; Coaldale and Six Mile Run—H. Clifford McElwee; Concord Twp.—E. Sharpless Walters; Confluence and Ursina—W. T. Bateson; Collegeville—Clarence W. Scheuren; Columbia—J. Harry Price; Connelville—Roger C. McCormick; Conway—Burgess H. H. Davis; Coopersburg—Paul Knerr; Cornwall—Howard Kepner; Creekside—Ira Altman; Cresson—J. B. Wagner; Cressona—Henry Herring; Curwensville—Jacob Kantar.

Daisytown—William Hoffman; Dale—Walter Umberger; Dallastown—John J. Karbon; Danville—Clyde A. Patton; Darby—Ludwig Saha; Delaware—Paul Snearley; Delaware Water Gap—Burgess M. Eugene Leffler; Denver—Chester Imber; Dickson City—Anthony Matuszewski; Dillsburg—Alton B. Zerby; Dingham Twp.—Henry Gabbardt; Donora—M. J. Sweeney; DuBois—G. M. Gillette; Dover—C. W. Spangler.

Dunmore—Joseph F. Moyles; Dupont—D. J. Cocco; Dushore—Leon Crandell; East Berlin—Burgess Birdes A. Jacobs; East Lansdowne—Joseph P. Mullin; East McKeesport—Harold L.

Masters; East Washington—George T. Walker, Jr.; Ebsburg—Walter J. Stinson; Edgeworth—Charles Oliver; Elizabethtown—S. E. Dibble; Elk Lick Twp.—D. H. Broadwater; Emmaus—Theodore R. Gardner; Emporium—J. A. Haley; Emsworth—R. W. Bruce; Enon Valley—H. E. Strohecker; Ephrata—D. A. Esslinger.

Erie—A. E. Seider; Essington—Mrs. Rose H. Bristow; Etna—Burgess J. J. Arenth; Evans City—C. E. McGinnis; Fallston—Mrs. Bertha Turner; Farrell—Myer Frank; Ferndale—George R. Bockel; Folcroft—Joseph Lutz; Ford City—Q. G. Vincent; Foxburg—A. S. Robertson; Freedom—Lee B. Bain; Freemansburg—John Bruch; Freeport—Dr. C. A. Rogers; Gallitzin—J. R. Bernard; Gap—Peter Walker; Garrett—McC. Bereider; Gettysburg—L. H. Winebrenner; Girardville—Cletus C. Kilker; Glassport—Joseph Faix, Sr.; Glenfield—Daniel Waldschmidt.

Glenolden—Courtland Barr; Glen Rock—Herbert C. Hoover; Greencastle—G. Fred Ziegler; Green Lane—W. H. Green; Greene Twp. (Pike Co.)—Edward Parsons; Greenville Twp.—Clarence Shumaker; Greenville—Melvin A. Blair; Hanover—Charles R. Lose; Hastings—Clayton Shirk; Harrisburg—Dr. W. J. Ross; Hastings—B. R. Hindmarsh; Hatboro—Irvin T. Kepler; Hatfield—N. R. Brown; Haverford Twp.—Samuel Siegle; Hazleton—Mayor James P. Costello, Jr.; Hellam—Rev. Lewis Kline; Highspire—Major Elmer L. Manning; Hollidaysburg—Carl C. Manchester.

Honesdale—Edward L. Freeman; Hooversville—Frank Orben, Jr.; Hopewell—Burgess Clarence Kay; Hughesville—Burgess U. G. Boyer; Humelville—Orville Morris; Indiana—B. H. Lichteberger; Ingram—G. W. Ferrell; Jacobus—Burgess G. Elmer Krout; Jamestown—George Emerson; Jeannette—Mayor John M. O'Connell and J. Clair Manson; Jenkintown—Dickson F. Hutchison; Jermyn—Arthur Thomas; Jersey Shore—Ware Price; Jessup—Francis Monley; Johnstown—Mayor John A. Conway; Kingston—Charles Doron; Kulpmont—Rev. J. J. C. Petrovits; Laceyville—H. A. Michael; Lackawaxen—Raymond Hessberger; Lansdale—Allen R. Fretz; Langhorne—William J. Gaston; Langhorne Manor—Dr. A. L. Wixon; Lansdowne—Royden M. Swift.

Laporte—A. F. Snyder; Latrobe—James A. Barkley; Laureldale—Burgess Wilford L. Reist; Leechburg—Burgess Joseph M. Stanier; Leetsdale—A. W. Noland; Lehman Twp.—Russell Sheller; Lemoyne—Captain Ralph C. Crow; Lewisberry—H. M. Sutton; Lewisburg—R. N. Parker; Lewistown—T. C. Matthews; Lewisville—Robert C. Chase; Liberty—William Dougherty; Lilly—Joseph McGonigle; Lititz—B. G. Forrest; Littlestown—Burgess Evan M. Appler; Lock Haven—Charles E. Herr; Lyons Station—Harvey M. Arndt.

Madison—Lawrence F. Albright; Mahanoy City—Donald Mulhall; Manchester—Fred Kling; Manheim—Roy Miller; Manns Choice—H. E. Kountz; Manor—G. B. Allison; Manorville—W. A. Richardson; Mansfield—Isaac Doughton; Marietta—Henry S. Rich; Marklesburg—W. H. Hatfield; Marple—Franklin H. Getz; McAdoo—James S. Brogan; McDonald—Burgess T. M. Elliott; McKeesport—George W. Robinson; McKees Rocks—William M. Patton; Mechanicsburg—Samuel T. Sunday; Media—Francis B. Kaeslin; Mercersburg—J. Mac Myers; Meyersdale—Joseph F. Reich; Middletown—Burgess Harold V. McNair; Mifflin—D. B. Beale.

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Bethlehem—Leslie R. Himes; New Cumberland—Charles L. Hartman; New Kensington—Michael Barry; Newry—Horace Harper; Newtown—C. R. Greenlee.

New Wilmington—William Filmore Campbell; New Bloomfield—Albert Deckard; New Freedom—William S. Grove; New Holland—Rev. G. W. Wilt; North Belle Vernon—Burgess Joe Guder; New Milford—Lee Haines; New Paris—J. Howard Taylor; New Philadelphia—Burgess William V. Rowan; New Salem (York Co.)—Charles Joseph; Newtown Square—William Culbertson; Northumberland—Burgess R. L. Davis; North Wales—Burgess Harry W. Snyder; North York—Burgess Millard H. Wolfgang; Nu Mine—John Walker; Oakdale—Robert Delaney; Orbisonia—H. C. Corbin.

Palmyra—G. Vincent Kroll; Palo Alto—Gus Costas; Paperville—James Hertzler; Parkesburg—Burgess Amos B. Montgomery; Parkside—Warren F. Guss; Patterson Heights—Charles Capper; Paxtang—William R. Saussaman; Peckville and Blakely—Burgess John W. Taylor; Penbrook—James D. Wallace; Pennsburg—Irwin S. Horne; Philadelphia—Dr. Hubley R. Owen; Philipsburg—Warren E. Townsend; Phoenixville—Burgess Arthur H. Tompkins; Pitcairn—Burgess W. B. Rhodes; Pittsburgh—Edmond C. Stone.

Pittston—R. N. Myers; Pleasantville—Carl G. Nankeville; Port Allegheny—H. C. Herger; Port Carbon—Lewis M. Krebs; Porter—Earl Ness; Pottstown—John N. Bohannon; Pottsville—Mayor Claude A. Lord; Prospect Park—Howard C. Kinder; Punxsutawney—Walter E. Morris; Quakertown—Franklin H. Bean; Quarryville—S. J. Miller; Radnor—C. A. McClure; Red Hill—Mark G. Layser; Red Lion—Charles H. Horn; Renovo—Burgess Robert G. Boyd; Richland—Harry J. Stohler; Ridgway—William Fitzpatrick; Ridley—William V. Brookes; Ridley Park—Norman L. Mockel; Riverside—William T. Deeter.

Roaring Springs—R. Donald Lorend; Robeson—Paul Adams; Rock Hill—H. C. Corbin; Rockwood—C. S. Beck; Rose Valley—Hiram Parker; Rutledge—Adolph A. Weiss; Salisbury—Burgess John C. Lichliter, Jr.; Sandy Lake—John Mallery; Saxton—Chelton W. Smith; Sayre—Harold C. Yingling; Schellsburg—D. R. Clark; Schuylkill Haven—Roy A. Scott, Sr.; Scottdale—Edgar M. Byers; Scranton—General David J. Davis; Selinsgrove—Dr. J. E. Hugus; Sellersville—S. L. Althouse; Seven Valleys—C. D. Krout; Sewickley—John C. Hiteshew.

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